



Docket No.: 44319-051

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
Akio YAMANISHI : Confirmation Number: 5310
Serial No.: 09/536,762 : Group Art Unit: 3736
Filed: March 28, 2000 : Examiner: Kremer, M.

For: TRANSCUTANEOUS BILIRUBIN CONCENTRATION MEASURING APPARATUS
AND A MEASUREMENT DATA CHECKING PLATE FOR USE WITH THE SAME

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Honorable Commissioner for Patents
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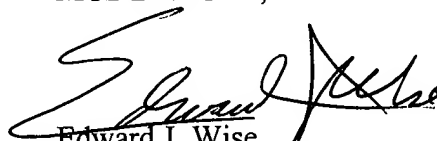
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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated October 16, 2003, now due to expire January 16, 2004, be extended for two month(s) and set to expire on March 16, 2004. Please charge the extension fee of \$420.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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